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Whistleblower offers to speak to Republicans as Trump pushes to unmask

Unmasking whistleblower threat to personal safety.

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The U.S. official whose whistleblower complaint led to the impeachment inquiry against President Donald Trump offered to communicate directly with Republicans on the intelligence committee leading the inquiry, his lawyers said on Sunday.

The action was in response to Republican efforts, led by Trump, to unmask the whistleblower, a member of the U.S. intelligence community whose identity has not been released, lawyer Mark Zaid said. Republicans have "sought to expose our client's identity which could jeopardize their safety, as well as that of their family," Zaid wrote on Twitter.

News of the offer came as Trump called on the whistleblower to come forward, in a stark departure from norms in such cases.

"The whistleblower should be revealed, because the whistleblower gave a false story," Trump said on the White House lawn Sunday, while calling him an "Obama guy" and a "fraud."

> **"The whistleblower should be revealed, because the whistleblower gave a false story."**
>
> Donald Trump

Republicans have complained that the impeachment inquiry in the Democratic-led House of Representatives has been unfair to them and to Trump, and that they have been restricted in their questioning of witnesses. The inquiry has followed established House rules.

Trump is under increasing pressure as the House of Representatives forges ahead with its investigation of whether Trump solicited help from Ukraine as he seeks re-election next year. Leaders of the Democratic-controlled House expect to begin public hearings in the next few weeks.

The inquiry was launched on Sept. 24 after a whistleblower complaint from the unidentified U.S. intelligence official who was concerned that the president's actions on Ukraine were illegal and jeopardized national security.

As the inquiry enters its sixth week, however, the whistleblower's testimony, based on second-hand information provided by other U.S. officials, is not likely to be the most important.

Lawmakers leading the inquiry have since heard first-hand accounts from U.S. officials including former National Security Council member Alexander Vindman that describe Trump's efforts to pressure Ukraine to investigate the 2020 Democratic candidate Joe Biden and his son Hunter, as well as accusations he used $391 million in U.S. aid as leverage.

A White House summary of a phone call between Trump and Ukraine President Volodymyr Zelenskiy showed Trump asking his Ukrainian counterpart to investigate the Bidens.

Adam Schiff, the Democratic Intelligence Committee chairman, said last month that the whistleblower's testimony might not be necessary.

The whistleblower initially offered to answer questions in writing if submitted by the House Intelligence Committee as a whole.

Zaid said the new offer, made on Saturday to top intelligence panel Republican Devin Nunes, reflected the client's desire to have the complaint handled in a nonpartisan way.

"Let me be absolutely clear: Our willingness to cooperate has not changed. What we object to and find offensive, however, is the effort to uncover the identity of the whistleblower," added Andrew Bakaj, another of the whistleblower's lawyers.

Nunes' office did not return a request for comment.

Longstanding Intelligence Committee policy is to protect whistleblowers' anonymity.

Trump has repeatedly lashed out at the whistleblower and called for his identity to be made public. He denies any impropriety and says the impeachment is politically motivated. REUTERS

Firefighters beat back Southern California wildfire

2 Firefighters working overnight to contain a Southern California wildfire made significant headway on Sunday, containing 50% of the blaze with the aid of cooler weather and lighter winds after it burned thousands of acres of dry brush and farmland. The Maria Fire, which broke out on Thursday near the community of Santa Paula about 70 miles (110 km) northwest of downtown Los Angeles, had destroyed two structures and burned more than 9,400 acres (3,800 hectares), the Ventura County Fire Department said on Sunday. "Overnight firefighters continued to patrol the fire perimeter extinguishing any remaining hot spots. Fire behavior was moderated due to cooler temperatures and lighter winds," the department said in a statement.

REUTERS

Celebs back climate action in Extinction Rebellion vid

3 Singer Ellie Goulding, actor Imelda Staunton and model Daisy Lowe were among celebrities demanding that the governments act on climate change in a video campaign launched by Extinction Rebellion on Sunday ahead of Britain's Dec. 12 general election. Extinction Rebellion launched in London a year ago, inspiring waves of colorful, disruptive actions around the world to call for rapid cuts in carbon emissions and the repair of collapsing ecosystems. Thousands of people have been arrested during protests. The group's emphasis on the role that culture can play in shaping attitudes toward the twin climate and ecological crises has drawn support from a range of leading names from the worlds of music, fashion, art and film. REUTERS

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The incident occurred along the Paoli-Thorndal line.

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SEPTA passengers stranded on trains after electrical problem

Hundreds were stranded for three hours with a slow staff response.

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Hundreds of SEPTA passengers spent hours stuck on trains after an electrical failure struck in the middle of the day on Saturday.

According to CBS Philly, passengers spent almost three hours on stranded trains along the Paoli-Thorndal line. The origin of the issue wasn't immediately clear, but SEPTA shared that it had to do with a wire hanging overhead of one of the trains near the 30th Street Station around 3:30 p.m.

Retrieving passengers from the trains — which were without power — took an hour to begin, as there were no drivers immediately available to bring buses as an alternative for the riders. It ultimately took about three hours to safely evacuate everyone. There were no reports of injuries.

Many of those affected, with no other options available, chose to take a ride-sharing service to their destination.

Downed wires also created track and signal issues for Amtrak, which was forced to suspend service between Harrisburg and Philadelphia for the remainder of the day.

"It got very frustrating because people were calling SEPTA and no one was answering," college student Abby Harris told CBS. "I was tweeting but they were giving very generic responses that were not helpful and I just kept rapid-fire tweeting them so I could get some attention on this so we could get off."

> **"It got very frustrating because people were calling SEPTA and no one was answering."**
> Abby Harris

ABC Philadelphia reported that one train was affected by the wire problem, but it led the three trains behind it to be stopped as well. No updates or information were reported to the passengers while they were stranded. ABC Philadelphia reports that the train broke down near the Global Leadership Academy. One train had at least 160 passengers on board during the incident.

Once all of the passengers were evacuated, the affected trains were moved to a SEPTA train yard. Normal service resumed across the corridor on Sunday for both SEPTA and Amtrak trains.

Still, many of the passengers won't be quick to forgive or forget, especially with no reports of refunds or reimbursement being given.

"It was very very hot. A lot of people had to go to the bathroom, there were no restrooms," passenger Robinson Creighton told ABC Philadelphia. "It was just a nightmare."

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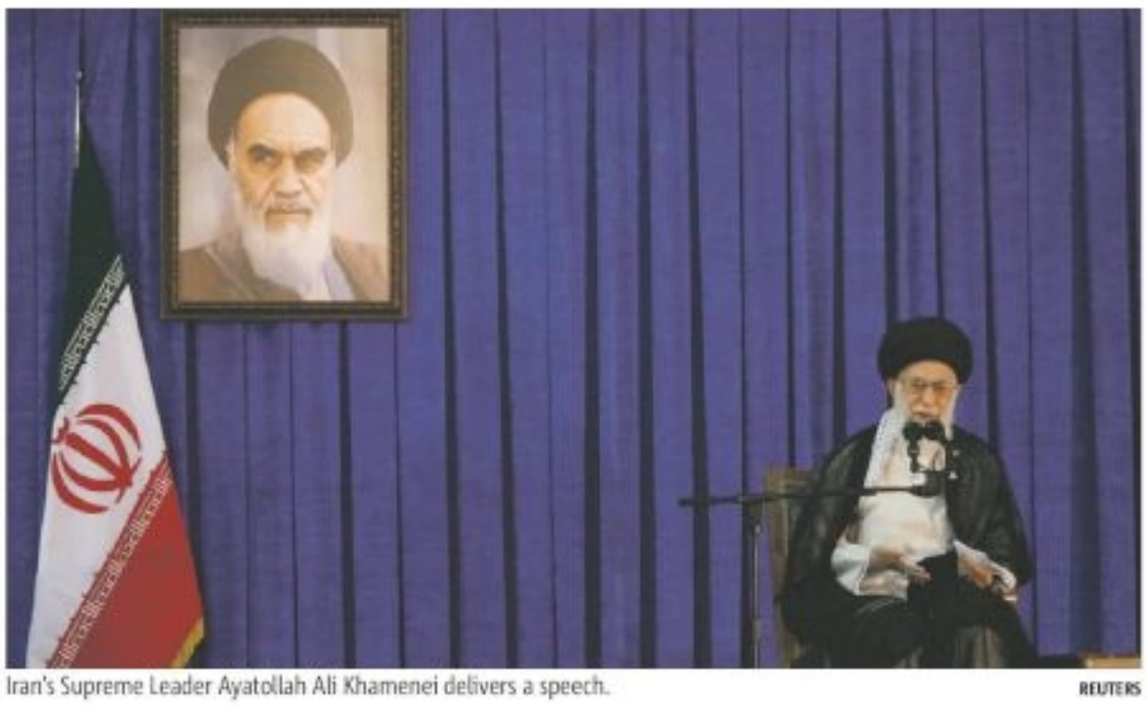

Iran's Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei delivers a speech. REUTERS

Iran's Khamenei renews ban on talks with U.S.

Two countries described as "implacable foes" by Supreme Leader.

Iran will not lift its ban on talks with the United States, Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei said on Sunday, describing the two countries as implacable foes on the eve of the 40th anniversary of the seizure of the U.S. embassy in Tehran.

"One way to block America's political infiltration is to ban any talks with America. It means Iran will not yield to America's pressure," Khamenei, who is Iran's top authority, was quoted by state TV as saying.

"Those who believe that negotiations with the enemy will solve our problems are 100% wrong."

Relations between the two foes have reached a crisis over the past year after U.S. President Donald Trump abandoned a 2015 pact between Iran and world powers under which Tehran accepted curbs to its nuclear program in return for lifting sanctions.

Washington has reimposed sanctions aimed at halting all Iranian oil exports, saying it seeks to force Iran to negotiate to reach a wider deal. Khamenei has banned Iranian officials from holding such talks unless the United States returns to the nuclear deal and lifts all sanctions.

The anniversary of the seizure of the U.S. embassy shortly after Iran's 1979 Islamic Revolution is marked in Iran with annual demonstrations of crowds chanting "Death to America" across the country.

> **"The French president, who says a meeting will end all the problems between Tehran and America, is either naive or complicit with America."**
> Khamenei

The embassy capture cemented the hostility between the two countries which has remained a central fact in Middle East geopolitics and an important part of Iran's national ideology. Iran, which accused the United States of supporting brutal policies of its ousted Shah, held 52 Americans for 444 days at the embassy, which it called the Den of Spies.

"The U.S. has not changed since decades ago ... it continues the same aggressive, vicious behavior and the same international dictatorship," Khamenei said. "Iran has a firm, iron will. It will not let America return to Iran."

Washington's European allies have opposed the Trump administration's decision to abandon the nuclear pact. Iran responded to U.S. sanctions by gradually scaling back its commitments under the nuclear agreement and has said it could take further steps in November.

Khamenei poured scorn on French President Emmanuel Macron for trying to promote talks between the foes. Macron tried to arrange a failed meeting between Trump and Iranian President Hassan Rouhani on the sidelines of the U.N. General Assembly in New York in September.

"The French president, who says a meeting will end all the problems between Tehran and America, is either naive or complicit with America," Khamenei said in remarks reported by state television. REUTERS

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Judge blocks Trump rule requiring prospective immigrants to have health insurance

Trump had intended the new rule to go into effect Nov. 3.

A federal judge in Oregon on Saturday temporarily blocked a Trump administration proclamation that would have required prospective immigrants to prove they would have U.S. health insurance within 30 days of their arrival or enough money to pay for "reasonably foreseeable medical costs."

Judge Michael Simon in U.S. District Court in Portland, Oregon, granted a 28-day temporary restraining order that prevents the rule from taking effect on Nov. 3. The legal challenge against it will continue.

In an 18-page order, Simon said the potential damage to would-be immigrants and their families justified a nationwide block.

"Facing a likely risk of being separated from their family members and a delay in obtaining a visa to which family members would otherwise be entitled is irreparable harm," he wrote.

Seven U.S. citizens and an advocacy organization filed a lawsuit to block the rule, arguing it "rewrites our immigration and healthcare laws by Presidential fiat" and could bar hundreds of thousands of prospective immigrants.

Prospective immigrants had been scrambling to figure out how to get the necessary coverage, navigating a complex healthcare bureaucracy that has, for the most part, not previously catered to those who are not yet in the country.

> **"Facing a likely risk of being separated from their family members and a delay in obtaining a visa to which family members would otherwise be entitled is irreparable harm."**
> Judge Michael Simon

The Trump proclamation said it aims to stop healthcare providers and taxpayers from bearing "substantial costs in paying for medical expenses incurred by people who lack health insurance or the ability to pay for their healthcare." It cited data that "lawful immigrants are about three times more likely than United States citizens to lack health insurance."

Healthcare policy experts say immigrants use the U.S. system less often than Americans. According to an analysis by Leighton Ku, director of the Center for Health Policy Research at George Washington University, recent immigrants without insurance accounted for less than one-tenth of 1% of U.S. medical expenditures in 2017. REUTERS

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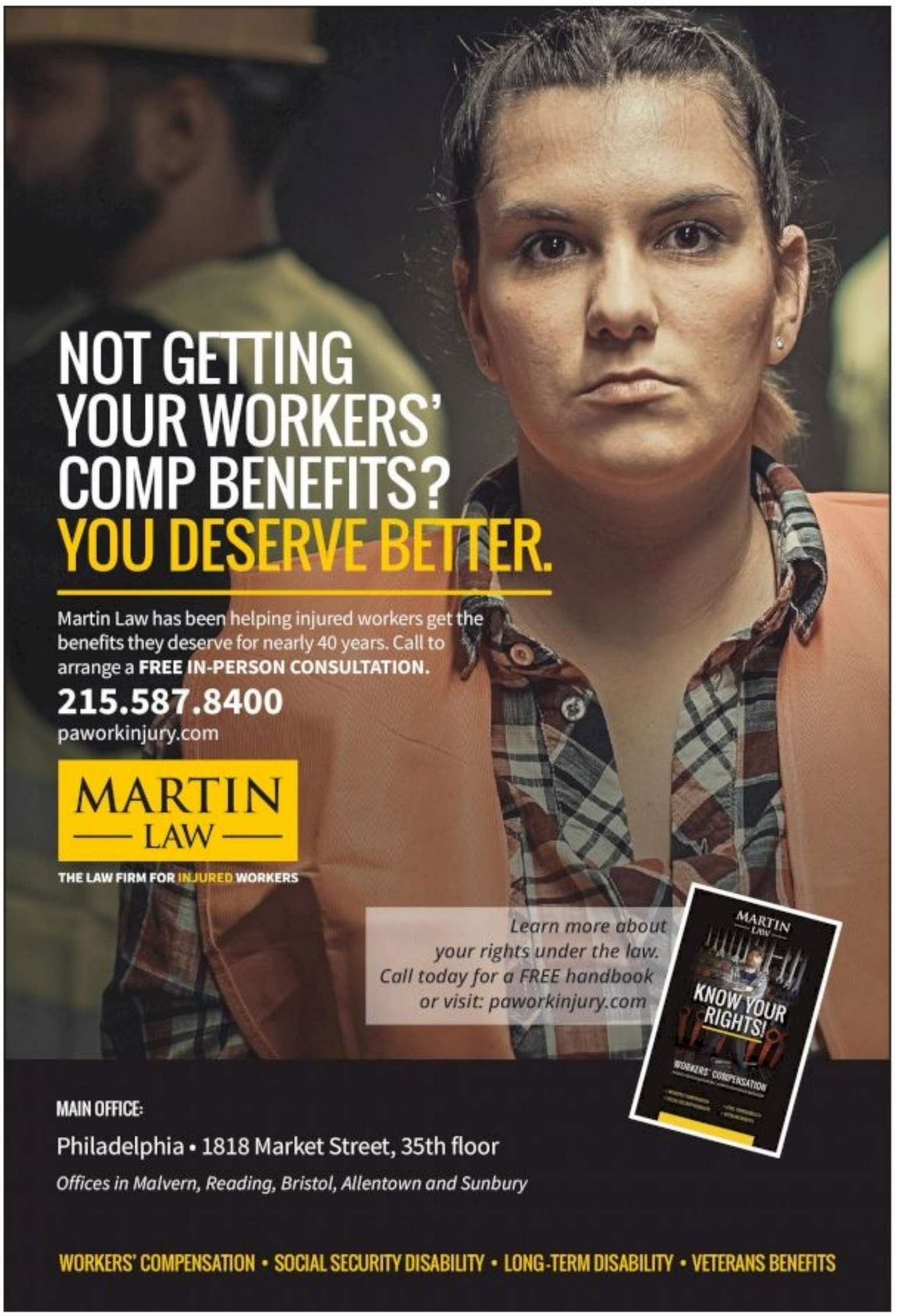
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Hong Kong mall clash ends in bloody knife attack and bitten off ear

Hong Kong anti-government protesters crowded a shopping mall in running clashes with police on Sunday during which a man with a knife slashed several people and apparently bit off part of a local politician's ear.

A human chain in Cityplaza, in the eastern suburb of Taikoo Shing, turned into a face-to-face conflict with police, running up and down escalators where families with young children had been window shopping just minutes before and watching skating on the ice rink.

Police said protesters had vandalized a restaurant in the mall after a peaceful chanting of slogans in the 22nd straight weekend of protests by Hong Kong people furious at perceived Chinese meddling in the former British colony which returned to Chinese rule in 1997.

Several people were wounded, with one man in a white tee-shirt, believed to be the knifeman, being beaten with sticks by protesters. Another man lay in a pool of blood on the pavement outside the mall.

Democratic district councillor Andrew Chiu was among the wounded, blood dripping from his ear. Democratic Party lawmaker James To told reporters the knifeman had bitten off part of Chiu's ear and slashed other people.

He said the other wounded were in more serious condition than Chiu who was seen on TV holding the piece of his ear in a plastic bag with bloody hands.

A kitchen knife lay on the ground outside the mall.

Police made several arrests as protesters shouted "black police!", a reference to their perceived brutality. The standoff lasted into the night, with residents jeering police from the roadside and balconies of nearby apartments, chanting "leave now" and more colorful Cantonese expletives.

Police fired tear gas, outside the East Hotel in Taikoo Shing, to try to break up the crowds. They then left.

"These police are not what they used to be," said Julie, 24, giving police the middle finger. "They come in here and push us around. It is not right."

Police fired pepper spray at reporters when they got too close. One journalist was arrested.

"This is out of control. This was a peaceful protest. And these people are just local residents, we live around here," said Desmond Fong, 28, who works in marketing. He was out shopping for sneakers when the protest erupted.

> **"These police are not what they used to be. They come in here and push us around. It is not right."**
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> Said Julie, 24, giving police the middle finger.

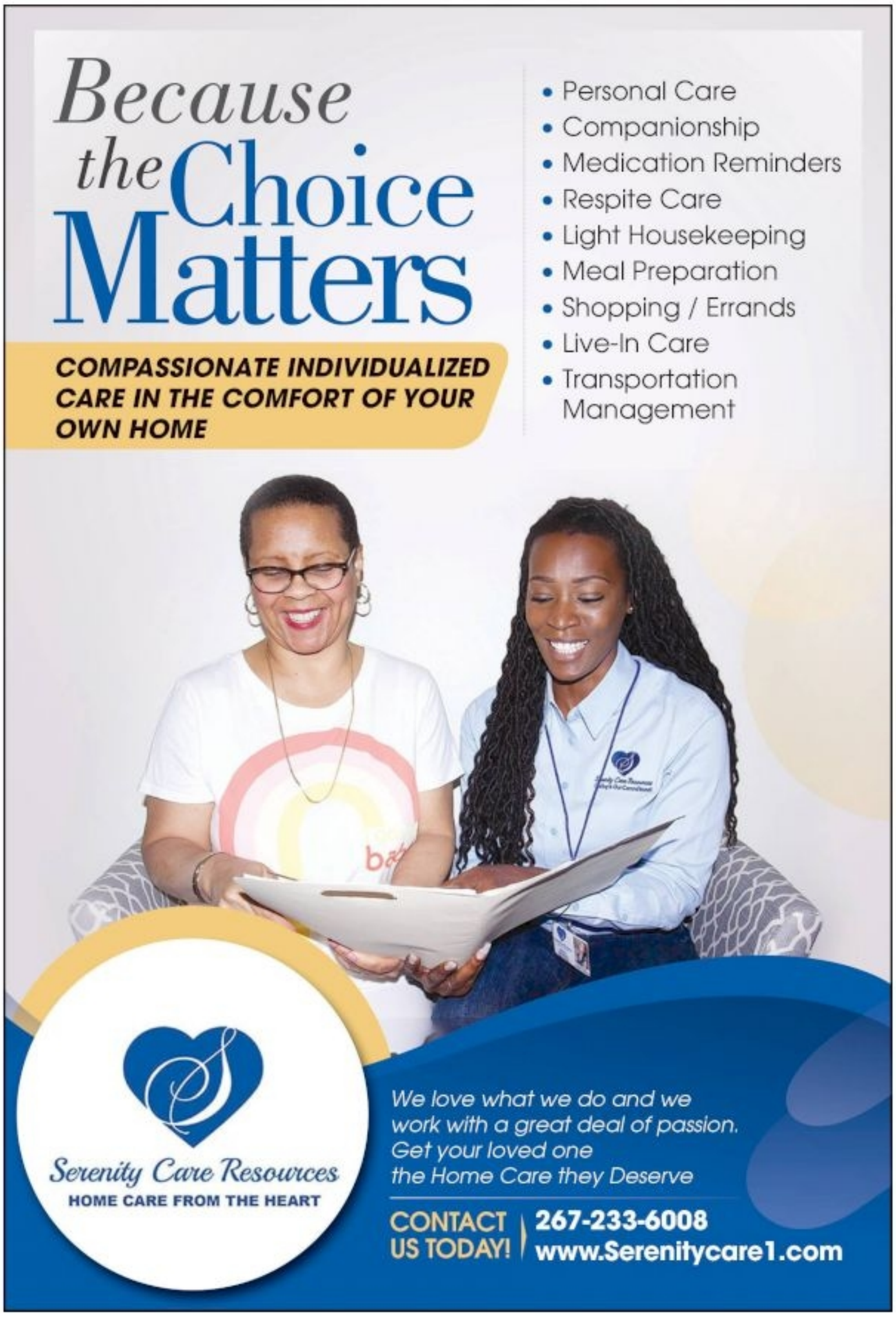
Taikoo Shing is an office and high-rise apartment development dating back to the 1970s, with the newer office, bar and restaurant district of Quarry Bay next door. Police said they were investigating the knife attacks.

CLEAN-UP AFTER SATURDAY'S VIOLENCE

There were also running battles, vandalism and scuffles in and around malls in the New Territories towns of Tai Po, Tuen Mun and Sha Tin, where police fired pepper spray as protesters hurled abuse. Protesters built a street barricade in Tai Po.

Pro-democracy protesters battled police across the main island on Saturday, furious at Communist Party leaders in Beijing and perceived Chinese meddling with Hong Kong's promised freedoms, which China denies. REUTERS

Violent clash in Hong Kong shopping mall. REUTERS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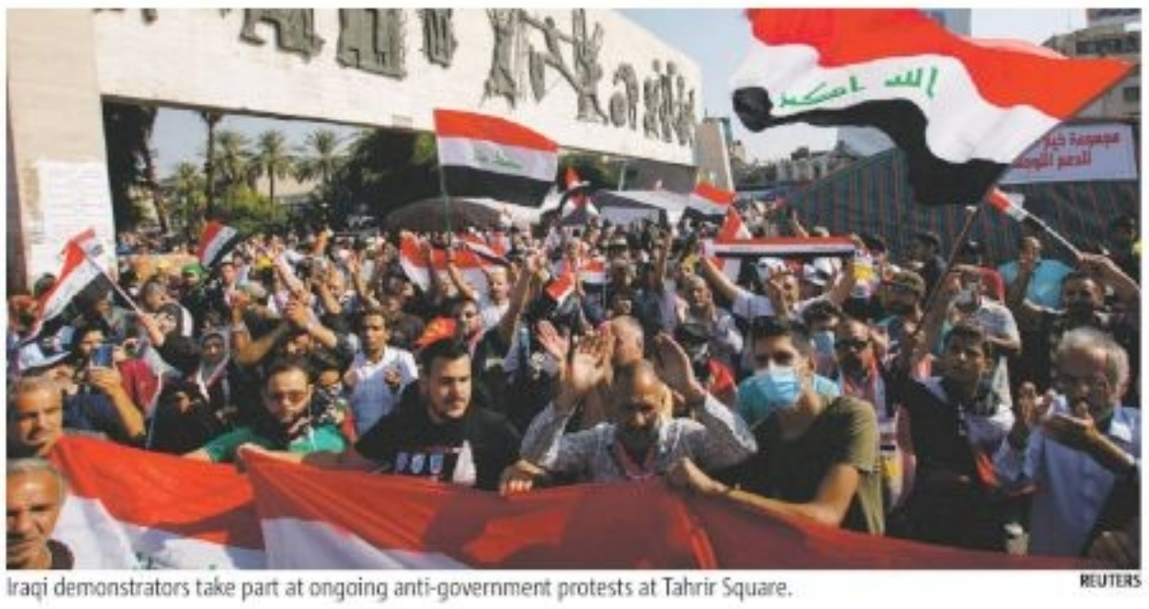

Iraqi demonstrators take part at ongoing anti-government protests at Tahrir Square. REUTERS

Protesters block roads to Iraqi port, demand end to foreign meddling

Thousands have been protesting in Tahrir Square for weeks.

Security forces killed a protester and wounded 91 others in Baghdad on Saturday, security and medical sources said, as tens of thousands of Iraqis gathered in mass anti-government protests in the capital and blocked roads leading to a major port.

Protesters have been congregating in the capital's central Tahrir Square for weeks, demanding the fall of the political elite in the biggest wave of mass demonstrations since the fall of Saddam Hussein.

"We don't want anyone interfering in our affairs, not Saudi Arabia, not Turkey, not Iran, not America. It's our country, our demands are clear."
Ahmed Abu Mariam

Protests have accelerated dramatically in recent days, drawing huge crowds from across sectarian and ethnic divides.

They have been comparatively peaceful by day, becoming more violent after dark as police use tear gas and rubber bullets to battle self-proclaimed "revolutionary" youths. More than 250 people were killed in October.

Clashes have focused on the ramparts to the Republic Bridge leading across the Tigris to the heavily fortified Green Zone of government buildings, where the protesters say out-of-touch leaders are holed up in their walled-off bastion of privilege.

Security forces on Saturday erected concrete walls on one of Baghdad's main streets which leads into Tahrir Square in an attempt to reduce the turnout but a spontaneous protest in which crowds surrounded soldiers driving bulldozers forced them to take the structures down.

"Take it down, take it down," they chanted.

The protests, driven by discontent over economic hardship and corruption, have broken nearly two years of relative stability in Iraq.

Despite the country's oil wealth, many live in poverty with limited access to clean water, electricity, health care or education. The government of Prime Minister Adel Abdul Mahdi, in office for a year, has found no response to the protests.

Thousands of protesters were blocking all roads leading to Iraq's main Gulf port Umm Qasr near the oil-rich city of Basra, after security forces used live rounds and tear gas overnight.

Operations at the port, which receives the vast bulk of Iraq's imports of grain, vegetable oils and sugar, have been at a complete standstill since Wednesday.

On Friday, both the teachers' and lawyers' unions said they would extend strikes they declared last week. Schools had been due to reopen on Sunday after a week of cancelled classes.

Many see the political class as subservient to one or another of Baghdad's main allies, the United States and Iran. REUTERS

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Trump wades again into UK politics, tells Johnson, Farage to unite

President Trump (L) and Brexit Party leader Nigel Farage (R).

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U.S. President Donald Trump on Sunday urged British Prime Minister Boris Johnson and Brexit Party leader Nigel Farage to come together to safeguard prospects for expanded U.S.-UK trade after Britain leaves the European Union.

Trump told reporters at the White House that both men were friends of his, but Johnson was "the right man for the time."

Farage on Sunday said he would not run for a seat in parliament in Britain's snap Dec. 12 election, focusing instead on campaigning against Johnson's EU divorce deal. The election was called because of an impasse in parliament over Brexit, more than three years after voters decided to leave the bloc.

Asked which UK leader he supported, Trump said, "I like them both. I think Boris will get it right. They're both friends of mine. What I'd like to see is for Nigel and Boris to come together. I think that's a possibility."

Trump said Britain's exit from the EU must be structured to facilitate continued trade between Britain and the United States.

"We're far and away the No.1 economy in the world, and if you do it a certain way we're prohibited from trading with the UK," he said. "That would be very bad for the UK, because we can do much more business (than the) European Union."

> **"I like them both. I think Boris will get it right. They're both friends of mine. What I'd like to see is for Nigel and Boris to come together. I think that's a possibility."**
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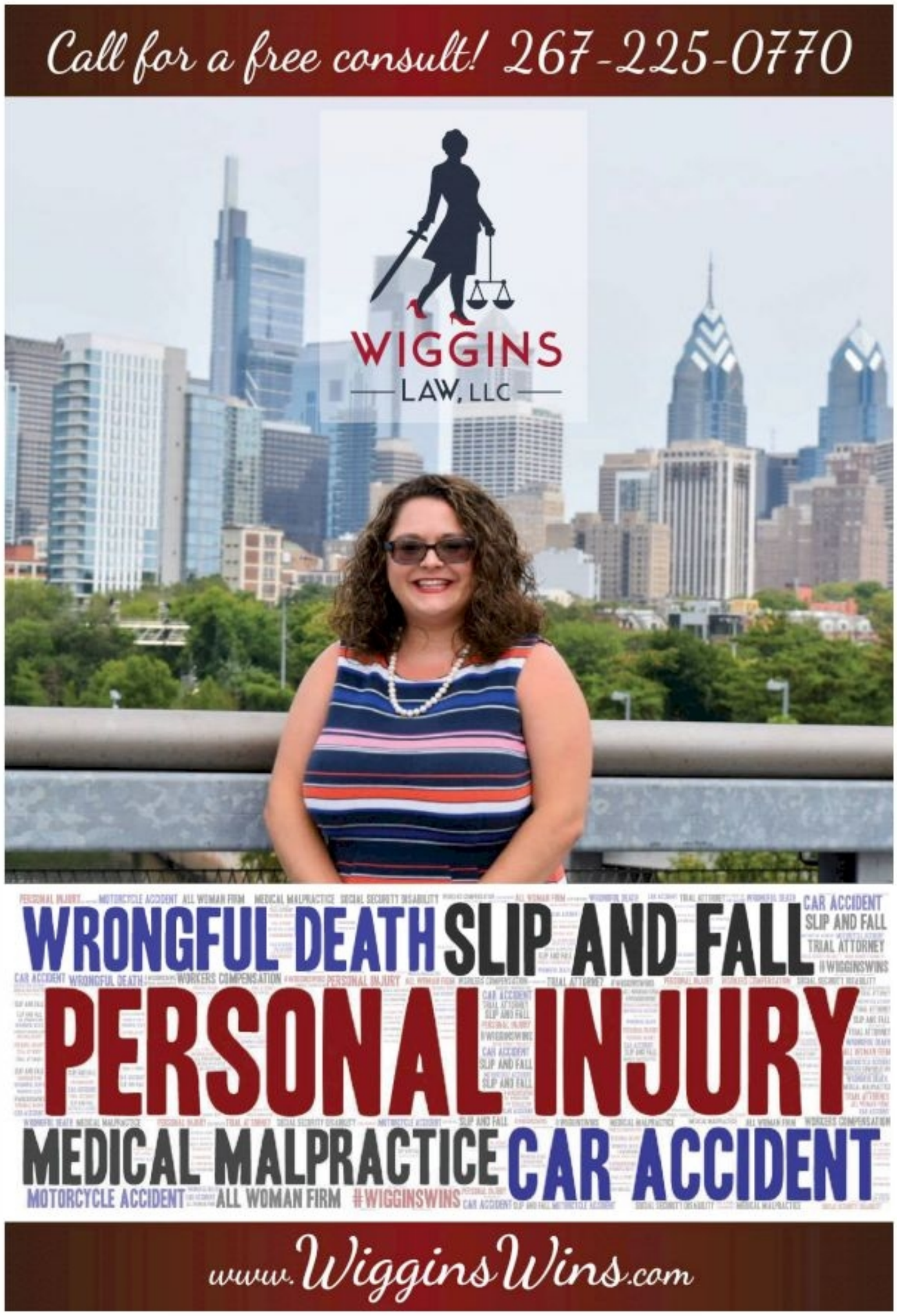
> Donald Trump

Trump first waded into Britain's election campaign last week, telling Farage in a radio interview that the leader of the left-wing opposition Labour Party, Jeremy Corbyn, would be "so bad" for Britain if he wins. REUTERS

Britain's Prime Minister Boris Johnson.



‘Jenny B’ gift card marketing scheme invades the northeast

If you’ve received a ‘Jenny B’ pregnancy card in the mail, you’re not alone.

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A while ago, I received a card in the mail with no return address. Upon opening, I was confronted with garish graphics and a tacky slogan, “Holy Guacamole, you’re going to avo baby!” Inside, the card read, “Congratulations!!! I am so excited for you! I hope you like these! <3, Jenny B.”

The card has $245 in gift cards and an assortment of baby coupons.

Despite no return address, I quickly discovered the zip code it was mailed from was Salt Lake City, Utah. I do not know anyone in Utah.

I am not pregnant, nor do I have any plans to become pregnant in the immediate future.

I do not know any Jenny Bs either. So how and why did I get this? Was it mistaken identity? The letter was addressed to “Rebecca Glasser.” My full name is Rebecca Glasser-Baker, not Rebecca Glasser.

I was confused and offended when I received the card. A plethora of questions flooded my mind. Was it real? Did I gain that much weight from my Booze and Brews column? Was it a scam? Is someone assuming that because I’m 27 years old I’m pregnant? Or somehow bound to become pregnant? What kind of sexism is that? How did they get my information? Finally, what if I got this and I was someone who couldn’t conceive?

I quickly discovered this wasn’t a mistaken identity case and that I wasn’t the only one who received the exact same card. Women across the United States have been receiving the same thing in the mail. Users on social media platforms such as Reddit and Twitter have expressed their distaste for the cheeky purple card.

Many of the women who received the cards and coupons were not pregnant either. So what’s the deal?

Upon investigating the matter further, I discovered that in February this year, the Surry County Sheriff’s office in Virginia had investigated the letters to see if they were a scam.

Folks have been posting that items they have ordered using these gift cards have never been received, some people affected are saying that they used the gift cards but had to pay over $20 in shipping and some folks are reporting that money has been taken, but no items have been received.

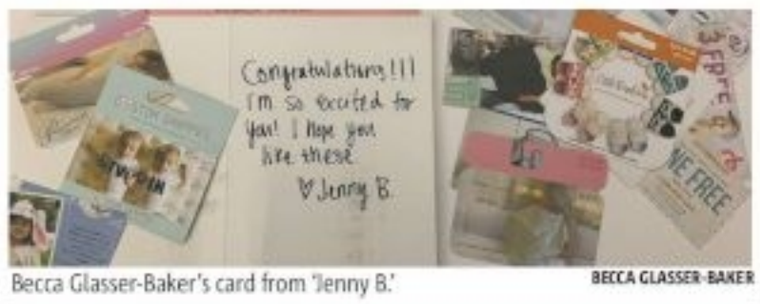
The BBB reports that as of March 7, 2019, they reached out to Mother’s Lounge requesting discontinuation of certain practices and requested modification.

According to the website, an alert about the company has been added to the BBB site, which reads as “BBB has recently received complaints concerning mailed gift card advertisements from Mother’s Lounge LLC’s different online businesses. These complaints are currently pending as BBB is waiting for the business’ response.”

Metro has reached out to Mother’s Lounge LLC for a statement and they have not returned the request.

Has Jenny B contacted you?

If so, send me your story at Rebecca.Glasser@metro.us



Becca Glasser-Baker’s card from ‘Jenny B.’ BECCA GLASSER-BAKER

The Surry County Sherriff’s department shared a post on Facebook stating:

“SCAM ALERT UPDATE!!!
This is a follow-up to the previous scam alert post. Upon further investigation we have revealed that ‘Jen’ is Jeanette Pierce from Pleasant Grove, Utah. Upon speaking with Ben Pierce, who is General Manager for Mothers Lounge, LLC located in Pleasant Grove, Utah advised that they are sending out those cards as a promotional advertisement for those companies. It does not appear to be a scam. **With increases in scammers,** we wanted to inform the community as soon as we suspected it to be a scam but we have later determined that it is not. We apologize for any inconvenience that this mix up has caused but we wanted to err on the side of caution. They purchase your address and email from other businesses that you have given that info to. You have to be sure to check the box that you wish not to have that information sold.”
Mother’s Lounge, LLC has quite a list of complaints on the Better Business Bureau (BBB) site. I spoke to Jane Rupp from BBB in Utah, that manages this BBB profile and they told me that, “BBB is continuing to receive numerous inquiries, complaints, customer reviews and BBB Scam Tracker entries on the marketing campaign of Mother’s Lounge (and entities). Consumers should base their decision to purchase on the price before the alleged gift card is applied. BBB has noted that the overall price (including shipping) may increase with the use of the alleged gift card.”
Addtionally, she said that, “We are still hopeful that Mother’s Lounge and Jennie Bosco (Pierce) will revise the marketing campaign to be transparent and meet advertising standards. All consumers deserve businesses that are honest, ethical and transparent!”

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Police seek truck driver after alleged luring attempt

An attempt to lure a young girl into a truck has led the police to seek the help of the public in apprehending a suspect.

The incident occurred on Friday night, just before 6:00 p.m. at the 3500 block of Teton Road in Northeast Philadelphia, ABC Philadelphia reports.

Police shared that the suspect made several inappropriate comments to the young girl, including "give me a kiss" and asking where the girl's mother was at that time. He also beckoned the girl to return to his truck with him before he drove away.

The suspect is reportedly in his 50's and approximately 6-feet tall. When he was last seen, he was wearing a black shirt and jeans. The car he was driving was a silver Ford 150 that had a black truck bed cover.

Police took to Twitter on Saturday to ask for the public's help in tracking down the suspect.

The suspect's vehicle. PHILADELPHIA POLICE

At 6:15 p.m. the Philadelphia Police tweeted, "DO YOU RECOGNIZE THIS TRUCK? It was being operated by a W/M in his 50's, appx. 6', with a black shirt and jeans. This individual ATTEMPTED TO LURE a young girl into his vehicle on 11/1 at appx 5:55PM on the 3500 Block of Teton Road in the NE. Please call 911 w/info and RT." The tweet included a picture of the suspect's silver Ford 150.

As of Sunday afternoon, that tweet had almost 300 retweets.

The incident happened the day after Halloween, a holiday fraught with "stranger danger" fears due to the large volume of children trick-or-treating from house to house in neighborhoods across the country.

With no suspect in custody yet, the police are asking **anyone with information to either dial 911 or 215-686-8477.**

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READER WRITE-INS:

LITTERING...REALLY?

It is 2019 people. We all know better than to throw our trash on the ground, yet on a windy day in the city, you can bet on chip bags, wrappers and plastic cups flying toward you at mach speed. If you can't find a trash can, just hold on to your garbage until you do. Is the extra five minutes holding that empty cup really going to affect you?

Anonymous, *Metro New York reader*

metro.us/horoscopes

Aries Do your best to make a difference, but don't let anyone take advantage of you. Looking out for your financial interests in a joint venture will be necessary.

Taurus Step up, make things happen and don't look back or let someone's emotional manipulation stand in your way. A joint venture will have strings attached.

Gemini Explore your options, and don't be afraid to make an adjustment to the way you do things or how you move forward. A better position will make a differences.

Cancer A different perspective on how you handle matters or whom you deal with will encourage you to speak up on someone else's behalf. Your concern will be noted and respected.

Leo Sit tight, be observant and pour your energy into something constructive or healthy. Exercise and diet should be priorities if you want to look and feel your best.

Virgo Get involved in activities that involve older or younger family members. The support and help you give others will lead to positive lifestyle changes for everyone.

Libra If you look on the bright side, you will figure out a way to sidestep someone difficult or demanding. How others react to your maneuver will prompt you to expand your interests and friendships.

Scorpio Rely on your experience, charm and knowledge to help you take advantage of a chance to embark on an adventure. A mix of old and new is favored.

Sagittarius Look over personal documents and update any that expire. Staying on top of deadlines and paying attention to the details will also encourage you to take better care of your health..

Capricorn Upgrades can be made. A domestic change will lift your spirits and ease stress. A service you can offer from home will bring in extra cash.

Aquarius Use your physical attributes to your advantage. A personal gain is possible if you take action. Romance is on the rise, and your intentions will help you make a decision.

Pisces Look inward, explore your feelings and make adjustments to the way you handle your money. A positive outlook will help you reinvent what you have to offer. EUGENIA LAST

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5 fun things to do in Philly this week

Get hitched this week, participate in a hands-on cocktail class and much more.

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Looking for some fun and unique things to Philly this week? We've got you covered.

Hands-On Craft Cocktail Class

Head to East Passyunk hotspot Fond to try out your bartending skills at this hands-on craft cocktail class. The new monthly series is launching this week, and everyone is invited out to shake, strain and pour their way to become an expert. Chef Lee Styer teamed up with General Manager and beverage expert Adam Judeh for the class where guests will learn all about the origin of spirits this month. There are only ten seats available for the class, tickets ($65) include snacks, cocktails and recipes. *Nov. 4, 6:30 pm-8 pm, Fond, 1537 S 11th St., Philadelphia, $65, fondphilly.com*

Hitched at the Curtis Atrium

Stop by the Curtis Atrium this week to dive head-first into this all-inclusive wedding event where blushing brides and grooms-to-be and curious Philadelphians can get a firsthand look at Philadelphia's premier wedding vendors. Aside from an assortment of vendors (think everything from flowers, to cake, to music), there will also be the launch of "The History of Us" competition where one lucky couple will win a wedding compliments of Constellation Culinary and The Curtis Atrium with catering and the venue included. As a bonus, any interested Philadelphian can use code HITCHED2019 when purchasing tickets for a buy one get one free option. *Nov. 7, 6 pm-9 pm, Curtis Atrium, 601 Walnut St., Philadelphia, $50, constellation.ticketleap.com*

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Veteran's Day Panel at the MOAR

The Museum of the American Revolution is hosting a panel this week to kick-off Veterans Day Weekend and to coincide with the Museum's special exhibition, "The Cost of Revolution: The Life and Death of an Irish Soldier." The panel will consist of a group of experts discussing military service and trauma in the Age of Revolutions and today. The panel will also use the life of Richard St. George (the focus of the museum's new exhibit) to understand the stories of today's veterans. *Nov. 7, 6 pm-7:30 pm, Museum of the American Revolution, 101 S 3rd St., Philadelphia, $10-$20, amrevmuseum.org*

Gabi Opening

Philly's new Art Deco-inspired all-day French cafe Gabi is opening this week, and all hungry Philadelphians are invited to indulge in their authentic Parisian-Esque fare and chic atmosphere. To start off, Gabi will offer lunch and dinner daily, with an all-day menu beginning at 11 am and additional entrees beginning at 5 pm, as well as brunch on weekends beginning at 10 am. Additional hours including breakfast will be announced in weeks to come. Menu highlights include steak tartare, escargot, duck confit, crème brûlée and more. *Nov. 4, Gabi, 339 North Broad St., prices vary, @gabiphilly*

An Evening with Samin Nosrat

Winner of the Julia Child First Book Award and author of the New York Times bestselling book "Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat: Mastering the Elements of Good Cooking" Samin Norsat is coming to the City of Brotherly Love for one night only. Norsat will be at the Academy of Music to discuss her book, career, passions and more. *Nov. 6, 7:30 pm, Academy of Music, 240 S Broad St., $25+, kimmelcenter.org*

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This weekend is going to be delicious

Alex Guarnaschelli is a special guest at the Borgata Hotel, Casino & Spa's Savor Borgata event.

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Iron Chef Alex Guarnaschelli has dipped her spoon into many pots in the culinary world with a variety of cookbooks, TV shows on Food Network and even her own restaurant in NYC: Butter.

This weekend you can catch the New York native in Atlantic City as a special guest this year at the Borgata Hotel, Casino & Spa's Savor Borgata event featuring a colorful variety of food-related events.

Guarnaschelli is just one of the many talented culinary mavens appearing this weekend at the Borgata (along with Michael Schulson, Bobby Flay and Wolfgang Puck just to name a few), and each talented chef and Food Network star will be hosting their own interactive class, tasting or special programming.

Guests can catch Guarnaschelli at The Ultimate Food Experience on Saturday (Nov. 9) or at her Holiday Lunch & Learn class that same day.

Guarnaschelli gave Metro the scoop on what to expect at the delicious star-studded extravaganza in Atlantic City this weekend.

Savor Borgata is truly a colorful showcase of all things culinary. What events will you be involved with throughout the weekend?

I am excited to participate in the big Savor Borgata walk-around tasting event that Saturday evening. It's also a competition as a winning dish will be picked from all the offerings from the chefs, and I am also doing a special class called "Lunch and Learn" Saturday afternoon. I will be cooking up a lot of fun small plates that will hopefully inspire great holiday menus!

What do you think some of the best attributes are that an event like Savor Borgata: The Ultimate Food Experience brings for foodies?

I always think it's great when people get to interface with their favorite chefs. It's obviously an opportunity for chefs in the public to get to know each other and have a great conversation about food.

What do you person-

Chef Alex Guarnaschelli. GETTY

ally like the most about hosting events like your Holiday Lunch and Learn?
I like the intimacy that comes from a classroom type of experience where excited foodies and home cooks get to taste dishes from professional chefs. The lineup of chefs is very impressive this year, and I think it's nice that there is a lot of fun and festiveness. I like it even better that there are also smaller-scale events where people can do a deep dive into great food and good cooking ideas.

Is there anything special about any event at Savor Borgata that you want guests to know about?
The Lunch and Learn event is what I am especially excited about. I love that we are getting so close to the holiday season and going to be talking about what kinds of new dishes can be brought to the table. I love the Savor Borgata main event too, though, and if I were a guest, I'd go to each table and eat one of each dish.

Would you say the holiday season is one of your favorites for cooking? If so, why? If not, which season is?
Without a doubt, my favorite cooking of the year is done on Thanksgiving. I just love turkey and all the sides, and I love to bake (and eat) pie too. The smell of cranberry sauce bubbling on the stove and pumpkin pie in the oven is like aromatherapy.

You've said that you're passionate about American ingredients, what are some of your go-to essential ingredients or recipes?
Corn grits from the south. Tree nuts from California and Oregon. Lobsters from Maine. Those are some American essentials for me. Essentials for my cooking are Dijon and red wine vinegar. I can pretty much make anything if I have those hanging around my pantry.

For more information on Savor Borgata (Nov. 8-10) visit theborgata.com

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Director Eduardo Sanchez on 20 years of *'Blair Witch'* and his new film, *'Portals'*

"Ingenuity almost has to come from the independent world."

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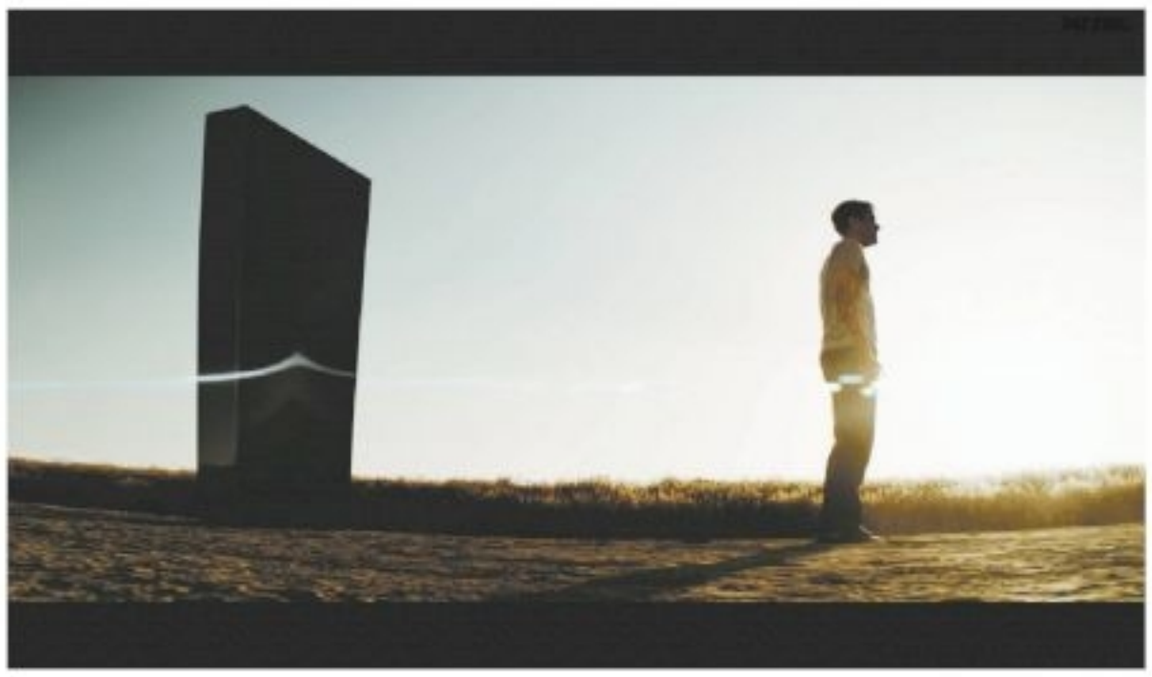
In many ways, Eduardo Sanchez is one of the most important horror directors of the past twenty years. When he and his team of collaborators unleashed the film "The Blair Witch Project" out into the world in the summer of 1999, it became a cultural phenomenon and spawned countless "found footage" horror films that have become a staple of the genre. He has worked tirelessly since then to find new ways to scare audiences and got behind the camera as a part of the new anthology horror film, "Portals," released in select theaters and On Demand last weekend.

The new film follows several different stories revolving around mysterious rectangular black holes that appear all around the world and cause those who encounter them to act erratic and dangerously when they come face-to-face with them. Different directors, such as Gregg Hale and Liam O'Donnell, wrote and directed scenes for the film, much like indie-horror anthology series, "V/H/S." Sanchez first tried his hand in this style with the second installment of that franchise and got into the fun and mischievous spirit.

"The whole point of the fun that we had on 'V/H/S 2' and the fun that we had on this one is that there is kind of a foundational construct. But they pretty much let you do what you want to do as long as it doesn't interfere with the other stories. They did a very good job at figuring out where all of the stories fit together. Especially for anthologies, you need to get in there and get out. You don't have a lot of time for character development and explaining the entire crazy story. It has to be a simple story," says Sanchez. "We wanted to introduce it and bring the question to the audience. What would you do if this happened? What would you do if something mysterious like this appeared in your room or in your workplace?"



That kind of "anything goes" attitude was something that connected with audiences when Sanchez first came onto the scene 20 years ago with "Blair Witch." I ask if Sanchez has been able to feel the importance of the big bang that movie set off all of those years ago.

"I never thought I would make a movie that would have such an impact or staying power. It's hard to talk about it because it's hard to stay humble and real about it because, for us, we made that movie like we make every other movie. We put our heart and soul into it and it just happened with this movie that the planets aligned. It's still a big part of our lives and I'm super grateful for that," says Sanchez as he reminisces about the film's legacy.

For as big of a seismic shift that film created after its release, Sanchez believes that all of the most influential horror films have come from those who have created out in the fringes, and that the indie scene is as thriving as it has ever been.

"The thing about the horror genre," explains Sanchez, "is the ingenuity almost has to come from the independent world. Once you get into studio filmmaking, even low budget studio filmmaking, there are rules that you have to follow. Unless you're Jordan Peele or James Wan who can basically do what they want in the horror genre now. There are very few filmmakers like that. A lot of ingenuity has to come from those who don't have anybody telling them 'you can't do that.' For 'Blair Witch,' we tried to sell that movie but nobody would let us into their offices to pitch that movie. It has to come from people putting together money and going out there and shooting it. You almost have to have nothing to lose to do what George Romero did, or John Carpenter did or what we did. Not to compare us with George Romero and John Carpenter! The really good nuggety and juicy stuff is going to come from the indie world. There's less rules. For me, horror is all about pushing the envelope and crossing the line. Once you get mainstream, it gets harder to cross that line."

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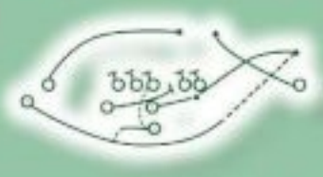

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"It will be an album loaded with social and political criticism" - THE OFFSPRING

Guitarist Kevin "Noodles" Wasserman chatted with Metro about the band's tour and next work.

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Do you remember the band's first performance as The Offspring?
Of course, although we weren't called The Offspring at the time. We were Manic Subsidal. Our first concert was in 1985 in Santa Cruz, California. I also remember that our next presentation was in San Francisco. We were incredibly scared, but at the same time it was a lot of fun.

You've been touring with Bad Religion, which is also an iconic punk rock band. Tell us more about that experience.
They are one of the bands with the best live performances. They are an iconic band, and no one can deny it because they have tremendous songs and in the concerts they sound impeccable.

How and when did you start working with Bad Religion? Your relationship with them goes back a long way?
We've had a close relationship with Brett Gurewitz since 1992, when we signed with his label Epitaph Records. That same year we recorded "Ignition." And, of course, we also had the opportunity to play with them many years ago. When we started this tour we have given ourselves the opportunity to get to know each other better. They are excellent people and tireless workers.

You recently released "It Won't Get Better."
Actually, the 'release' of this song came as we played it live. All of a sudden it went viral and it was already on YouTube and the internet. So the studio version was released as soon as possible. As for the lyrics, well, what we're trying to do is a critique of the opioid crisis, which is leaving so many deaths in the United States and the world. More and more people are dying and more and more people are becoming addicted. We made it not just because it is illegal, but because companies are taking advantage of this situation to make people dependent on painkillers and other kinds of drugs. All they want is to make money.

It's a single off your next album. Tell us a little more about it. How does "It Won't Get Better" represent it?
"It Won't Get Better" is a sample of what you will see on the album, starting with the fact that it will be an album loaded with social and political criticism. As for the sound, you know we always try to explore different rhythms, so a couple of tracks are the result of that experimentation. And speaking of numbers, there will be approximately 12 songs. [There is no confirmed release date yet.]

Releasing a new album involves using new sounds that don't always please old school fans.
By always making music you like that it makes you smile as a soloist or as a band. And, of course, the pressure of criticism and commentary will always be there, but real fans always connect with what comes out of your heart, whether it's fused with reggae or some other kind of genre.

What's your favorite part of creating a record?
It's when you're working on a song, you listen to it, and it sounds amazing. Getting this is not as easy as many people imagine, because many times you work, work and work, you add to it, you take something away, and in the end you hate it. So that feeling that goes through your body when you know you made it, damn it, is incredible! There's nothing like that in the world.

Your last album "Days Go By" was released in 2012. Why did you take such a long break?
It wasn't something we planned. The truth is that everyone was focused on different projects. For example, Dexter [Holland] was finishing his PhD in Molecular Biology. Although we had the intention of making a new album, we started very slowly, but started.

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EDUCATION

ASMR: The web trend made to relax your senses

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It went from being a scientific term to a popular hashtag. Its secret? Appeal to very intimate, yet very common resources to achieve relaxation.

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ASMR is very popular for stimulating small everyday pleasures for many, perhaps because of its simplicity. Soaps being destroyed, cut, dug out and gutted. Makeup being crushed, food being ground down or any other element or substance being utilized to produce an "ambient sound" is pursued by ASMR followers. This is how we could describe, at first glance, online ASMR, which has its own celebrities, variants and is, at least on Instagram, a very popular hashtag with more than 7 million posts. But where does the term come from?

ASMR stands for Autonomous Sensory Meridian Response and is characterized by a pleasant static-like or tingling sensation that runs through the scalp, neck and upper spine. This is triggered by auditory and visual stimuli. It's popularly referred to as a "cerebral orgasm" (something that started a decade ago), although there has been a clear differentiation between ASMR and sexual arousal.

Now, this experience can be generated in everyday life, but there are specific triggers that already have their own cult following on the internet, and have developed for more than 10 years. Soft voices, repetitive sounds or tasks, swallowing sounds and bumps on surfaces are some of these triggers, and in fact, the most popular are whispers. Besides these commonplace stimuli, there are also those who generate more creative paths to relief, such as the painter Bob Ross.

What has been studied in this regard?

This experience has been around since 1925 and in 2007, the term began to be discussed online in dedicated forums. Studies have been published in journals such as Perspectives in Biology, where the therapeutic value of ASMR was discussed. In 2015, Nick Davis and Emma Barratt discovered how whispers work as an effective trigger for 75 percent of the 475 people who participated in a research study of ASMR techniques. Other subsequent studies, the most recent published in BioImpacts last year, even showed brain images of ASMR and the specific brain regions activated during the experience. It was concluded that the brain responses were similar to those found during social bonding or that feeling known as "chills" that you get from an emotional experience like hearing a beautiful piece of music.

And so, in popular culture, artists like Claire Tolan, Julie Weitz and Lucy Clout have already used ASMR to create their works. Even on television, there are advertisements and series – "The Good Fight" to name one – in which they present the phenomenon. But ASMR's primary realm is online.

ASMRtists

Although Art Bears and Bob Ross have been around since before YouTube, the phenomenon was popularized over the last decade through people who began to create environments (many times through binaural recordings) in which they whispered or generated relaxing and repetitive noises to gain followers. In this way, people like Olivia Kisper, Gibi ASMR and Maria Viktrovna, creator of the Gentle Whispering channel, among others, have reached thousands of followers. And although some of the content has been eroticized, participants come from all walks of life. Dennis Riley, a 17-year-old Christian with 596k YouTube subscribers, posts regular videos using ASMR techniques to help people fall asleep. ASMRtists create environments that range from "personalized attention" (where they speak directly to the viewer, simulating sounds and gestures such as caresses), to role playing using various imaginary environments.

Today, there are a wide range of niches. Food ASMR, pioneered by Zach Choi, who has 4.94m YouTube followers, posts videos of him eating, focusing on the sound that comes from the act. Choi has also ventured into the destruction of makeup, carefully and meticulously destroying eye shadow palettes and other beauty items. Other channels concentrate on cutting, digging and tearing up soaps, always focusing on sound, accompanied by visual pleasure. Sites have been created for all languages and tastes, and platforms such as Facebook and Reddit have sections that are dedicated to sharing content, relaxation techniques and pleasant experiences in general. With an open mind, you may just find an ASMR experience that you like.

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The Cowboys are 0-1 so far this season at MetLife Stadium, having already lost to the Jets 24-22 last month.

Could another New York upset special be brewing?

It's entirely possible as Jason Garrett hasn't been great with extra preparation. "The Clapper" might be overthinking things as his Cowboys are just 2-3 against the spread over the past five years when coming off of a bye.

Unlike Week 1, when Dallas beat the Giants 35-17 at Jerry World, Big Blue will be trotting out rookie Daniel Jones for the start. Jones has been up and down, which is to be expected for a rookie QB, but he seemed to find his groove last week in a 31-26 loss at Detroit.

In that one, Jones completed 28-of-41 passes for 322 yards, four touchdowns and zero picks.

Saquon Barkley is also due for one of those monster rushing outings we saw so many times last season.

Barkley loves shining underneath the prime-time lights of national TV, as his breakout performance last year came against the Eagles on a Thursday night (130 yards rushing, 99 yards receiving).

All told, the gap between the Cowboys and Giants right now isn't as great as most people think, and for as bad as Pat Shurmur has been for the Giants, is he that much worse than Garrett?

Liking the Cowboys to win the game here on Monday night, but for it to be a tight one.

The play: Giants +6

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TWEET OF THE DAY

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Take a lap, NBA.

Best bets

College FB betting: LSU vs. Alabama

The LSU Tigers will look to remain the number-one team in the nation as they travel to Tuscaloosa, AL to take on the No. 2 Alabama Crimson Tide at Bryant-Denny Stadium on Saturday. Not surprisingly, the home team is favored despite the difference in rankings. Bettors should feel confident in laying the points.

Alabama has won eight straight over LSU dating back to their 21-0 suffocation of their SEC rival in the 2012 National Championship game, with the average margin of victory being 15 points (5-2-1 against the spread). Crimson Tide QB Tua Tagovailoa had a successful first foray into this rivalry in 2018, completing 25 of 42 passes for 295 yards and two TDs as Alabama came away with a 29-0 victory in Baton Rouge. Tagovailoa has phenomenal splits at home this year as he's completing over 77 percent of his passes for 11.5 yards per attempt with an 18-1 TD-INT ratio. The Tigers are a woeful 60th in passing yards allowed per game. LSU signal caller Joe Burrow is a worthy adversary for Tagovailoa but drew - by far - the tougher matchup with Alabama's 16th-rated passing defense.

The play: Crimson Tide -7

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SPORTS

Eagles squeak by Bears, head to bye week with winning record

Ertz, Howard gets Philly past Chicago in postseason rematch.

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Unlike the last season's matchup between these two teams — where the game came to down a last-second field goal in the NFL playoffs — the Philadelphia Eagles (5-4) defeated the Bears (3-5) 22-14, despite a valiant second-half comeback from Chicago.

With the victory, the Eagles now head into the bye week on a two-game winning streak and stay within striking distance for first place in the NFC East.

In regards to the Bears, they have now dropped their fourth consecutive game and are on the verge of missing out on the playoffs.

Philadelphia's defense did a great job of forcing the Bears to abandon the running game on Sunday and put the ball into third-year quarterback Mitch Trubisky's hands.

The Eagles' defense, which is one of the best at stopping the run, held the Bears to 62 rushing yards (40 from David Montgomery).

When it came to Trubisky, the former second overall pick only completed 48 percent of his passes for 125 yards. Philly's defense also sacked him three times and racked up six quarterback hits.

On the offensive side of the ball for Philadelphia, Eagles quarterback Carson Wentz completed 66 percent of his passes for 239 yards and a touchdown. He has also thrown a touchdown pass in 12 straight games.

Along with Wentz, former Bears running back Jordan Howard also had a solid performance against his old squad. The 24-year-old running back ran for 82 yards on 19 carries and a touchdown.

Zach Ertz put up 103 yards and a touchdown on Sunday against the Bears. GETTY IMAGES

From the opening kick, the Eagles' defense made their presence felt immediately and forced Chicago's offense into a quick three and out.

The Bears tried to get rookie running back David Montgomery going on the ground, but the Eagles held him to minus-one rushing yards on his first two carries.

With Philadelphia's defense starting the game out on a good note, it was time for the offense to put together a scoring drive. On their first play, Wentz tried to hit veteran wide receiver DeSean Jackson for a short completion.

Jackson has not played since Week 2 against the Atlanta Falcons due to an abdominal injury. Despite not hooking up to start the drive, Wentz found Jackson for a five-yard reception four plays later on second down.

Nevertheless, Wentz and the offense put together a 12-play, 70-yard scoring drive, which featured a lot of Howard, Miles Sanders, and Zach Ertz.

Ertz made a 15-yard catch on 4th-&-2, which would be a sign of things to come for the All-Pro tight end. On first down, Eagles' head coach Doug Pederson dialed up a halfback screen pass to Sanders for a 19-yard gain.

The Eagles eventually found themselves inside the red zone, but the Bears' defense tightened up and held Philly to a Jake Elliott 28-yard field goal.

With 5:38 left in the first quarter, the Eagles' offense produced another long scoring drive that went into the beginning of the second quarter.

However, the Eagles' offense tried to get cute on third down and short, opting for a screen pass to Sanders, which was shut down by Chicago's defense. Elliott converted another 28-yard field goal to put Philadelphia up 6-0.

After another quick three and out forced by the Eagles' defense, their offense finally scored a touchdown with 6:21 left in the first half.

On 2nd-&-12 at Chicago's 25-yard line, Wentz found Ertz down the seam for a 25-yard touchdown reception. Ertz finished the game with nine receptions for 103 yards.

At halftime, the Eagles not only held a commanding 12-0 lead over Chicago, but also a franchise-worst nine yards of total offense.

Just like in last week's game against the Bills, where they scored a touchdown to open the third quarter.

The Eagles' offense put together a four-minute scoring drive to begin the second half on Sunday afternoon. Howard capped off the drive with a 13-yard touchdown run to increase the Eagles' lead to 19-0 over the Bears.

However, give Chicago credit, they did not back down and made a valiant comeback. Bears head coach Matt Nagy and Mitch Trubisky challenged the Eagles' secondary in their offensive possession in the third quarter.

On 2nd-&-8, Trubisky found wide receiver Taylor Gabriel for a 53-yard reception to put the Bears inside the 10-yard-line. A few plays later, Montgomery scored a one-yard rushing touchdown, cutting the Eagles' lead to 12 points (19-7). After each team traded a few punts throughout the third quarter, David Montgomery scored another rushing touchdown a few minutes into the final quarter, bringing the Eagles' lead down 19-14.

Even though Philadelphia's offense went silent for a majority of the second half, they were able to put together a game-sealing 16-play, 89-yard scoring drive to end the game.

The Eagles now go into a much-needed bye week on a two-game winning streak and will be back in action on Nov. 17 when they take on the New England Patriots (4:25 p.m. ET, CBS).

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Flyers waiting for goalie situation to come around

The Flyers are losers of three of their last four as the start to life under new head coach Alain Vigneault has been rather sluggish.

Amongst those leaving plenty to be desired was young goaltender Carter Hart, who experienced a four-game losing streak from Oct. 12-Oct. 27. The 21-year-old, surrounded by high expectations, allowed 14 goals during that stretch with a .791 save percentage.

Veteran Brian Elliott has been solid in relief, though it's clear that his presence in the locker room is just as a support system for the future franchise netminder in Hart.

But if the Flyers have postseason aspirations this season in a loaded division, they'll have to ride the hot hand in net.

Here is how the two stack up through the first month of the season:

CARTER HART	STAT	BRIAN ELLIOTT
7	STARTS	6
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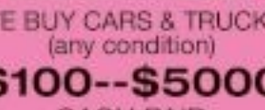

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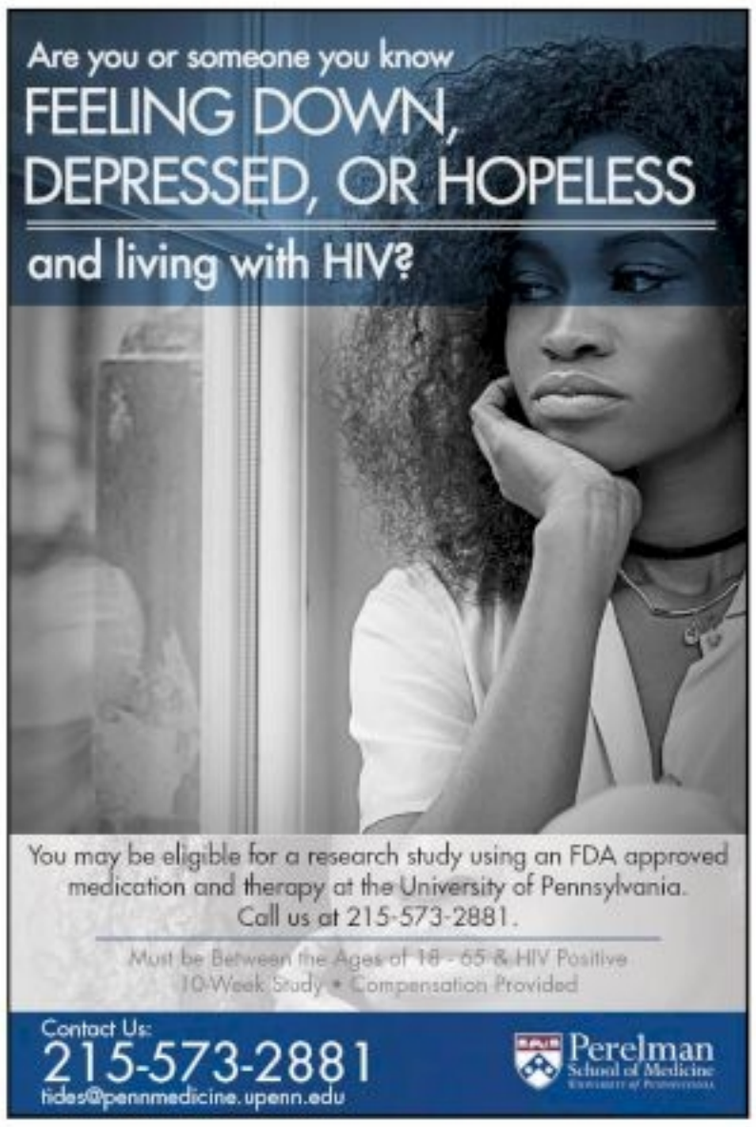
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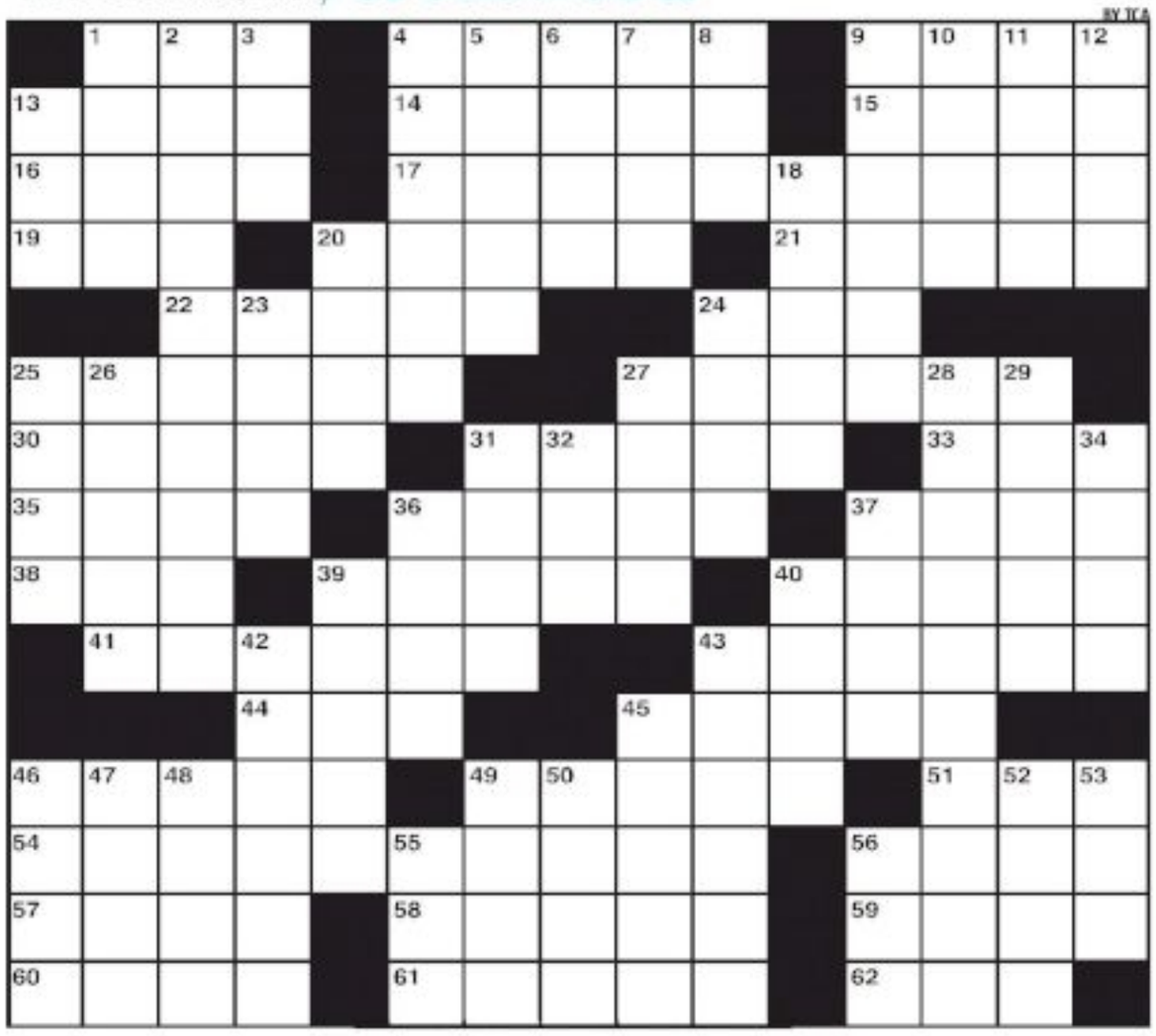

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ACROSS

1 "__ It Be"; Beatles song
4 __ in; enjoy
9 Tiny drinks
13 Overnight dance party
14 Banishment
15 __-on; tie type
16 Word after double or convection
17 Common cause of food poisoning
19 Declare illegal
20 Chops finely
21 1st phase of an illness
22 "Oliver __"
24 Ted Danson series, once
25 School no-show
27 Votes into office
30 __ up on; studies about
31 Whipped cream-topped drinks
33 Last biblical bk.
35 Isn't __ to; can't
36 Casual greeting
37 Not yours, not his & not hers
38 Actor Brynner
39 Singer Simon
40 TV remote button
41 Oppressive ruler
43 Warm season
44 Horse's cousin
45 Summarize
46 Home
49 "__ your lucky stars!"
51 Wheel center
54 Draw new zoning lines
56 Out of harm's way
57 Scoundrels
58 External
59 "...giving __, up the chimney he rose..."
60 "Be quiet!"
61 Unkempt
62 Half-qts.

DOWN

1 Molten rock
2 At the end of the day
3 Bill denomination
4 Put up a struggle
5 Precise
6 Disgusting
7 Dutch __ disease; tree killer
8 Name for 13 popes
9 Picturesque
10 Problems
11 Stack
12 Altercation
13 Carl Reiner's boy
18 Snouts
20 Clamors
23 Get one's feet wet
24 Potter's material
25 Cafeteria item
26 Counter an argument
27 Nelson or Mary Baker
28 Rejoicing over a win
29 Good judgment
31 Categorize
32 Hooter
34 Swerve
36 __ Christian Andersen
37 Baby's word
39 Word attached to brief or suit
40 Hockey disk
42 Item on a relish tray
43 Guard
45 Churchill Downs events
46 Prefix for angel or diocese
47 Suitor
48 Probability
49 __-blue; loyal
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52 Martian vehicles, for short
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55 Arnold or Bergeron
56 Gullible one

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